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VARIETY IN ADVANCE.

SOUTHERN NEWS.

The Maryland Legislature adjourned
the Monday night.

The beach at Galveston, Texas, said
to be the longest and broadest in the
world, is twenty-five miles in length.

The Georgia Young Men's Christian
Association will hold their annual Conven-
tion in Gainesville about the 15th of
June.

A petrified Virginia bacon ham has
been discovered in Prince Edward county
Virginia, and forwarded to the Uni-
versity Museum.

The Legislature of Virginia, at its
last session, passed a law making it a
misdemeanor for any one to pay the
poll tax of another in order to get his
vote.

In the Kentucky Legislature, a few
days since, Mr. Spangler, of Madison, called
the attention of the Speaker to the
increasing practice of throwing paper
wads by the members, and demanded
its suppression.

The people of Anderson county, South
Carolina, on Tuesday presented a mag-
nificent black horse to Governor Wade
Hampton. The animal was presented
in the name of the people of Anderson
county, as a birth day gift.

School attendance in Virginia has
nearly doubled since 1871; in South
Carolina it has nearly quadrupled since
1870; in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi
and Texas, good progress has been
made toward permanent education.

It is stated that over \$200,000 has
been invested in farms in the neighbor-
hood of Petersburg, Va., since the in-
ternational collection held there last
May.

In the southern counties of that
State are looking for a considerable
influx of Englishmen.

A negro man recently arrested in
Savannah says that he was the regular
watchman for two well organized gangs
of negro burglars who had been oper-
ating in Savannah for two years past.
The leader of one was killed and the
leader of the other crippled for life, so
that the bands are now pretty well
broken up.

Of the Southern Bishops of the Meth-
odist Episcopal Church, Bishop Payne
has been in office thirty-two years;
Bishops Price and Wauchope, twenty-
two; Bishops Doggett, Wigham, and
McWayne, eight years. Two more
bishops are to be elected at the General
Conference which meets in May next.

The Richmond correspondent of the
Petersburg Index and Appeal says:
The condition of the State treasury and
the poor prospects ahead incline some
of the Capitol officers to believe that
the Governor will have to call an extra
session of the General Assembly. The
alarm is far from heightened by the fact
there is no money left to pay the offi-
cials and naturally (to their mind) the
country seems going to the d—.

A meeting of representatives from the
various colonies of Winding, West Va.,
was held in that city Saturday
night for the purpose of protesting
against the employment of convic labor
in all cases where it comes in com-
petition with the usual mechanical pur-
suits and to make arrangements for a
through conference with Washington
through the State to petition Gov.
Matthews and the board of public works
to use all means in their power to put a
stop to the system.

Monday the employees of the Atlanta
Rolling Mill struck, and the mill has
stopped. The men are calm but de-
termined; they say they have not been
paid in money for three months past,
but have received orders on stores in
which the managers of the mill are
interested. They claim that out of \$6,000
badly needed, they have paid \$1,200.
The 250 of the men, a compromise is ex-
pected. William Doley, an employee
of the rolling mill, attempted suicide,
to-day, by shooting himself in the
breast. In his frenzied fire at
several men, who narrowly escaped death
at his hands.

STATE NEWS.

Craven Superior Court convenes in
this city next Monday, Judge Kerr pres-
iding.

Wilmeton Star : The value of for-
eign exports from this port for the
month of March, foot up \$42,881. The
collections from all sources amounted
to \$2,318.54, of which \$300.30 was in
coin.

Newbern Nut Shell : The Revenue
Cutter, E. A. Stevens, is expected to ar-
rive in Newbern this week.... Judge
Kerr was in our city yesterday and again
preached in the Baptist church, both
morning and evening, the death of
his brother. He leaves for Pamlico to-
day, but he does not return.

Oxford Torchlight : If we can't get
the Mifflin bell punch introduced into
North Carolina, we are in favor of a new
ballot box with something like these
registers attached. Let the bell ringing
and number every ballot deposited. This
will prevent repeating and false voting.
What patriot will introduce them into
Granville? We'll need them next Au-
gust.

Newbern Nut Shell : This morning
about 4 o'clock fire broke out in the gas
works in this city, and the works were
on fire in three buildings on the premises,
about 75 cords of wood and a few bar-
rels of tar, were burned. The colored
man who attends to the gas works at
night states that he was drawing a
charge when fire connected with the
soot that had collected on a wooden shed,
which caused the accident.

Goldsboro Messenger : Mr. R. L.
Price is now running an eight-horse
power steam engine on his farm road.
Paschall is most enterprising citizen and
deserves success. We understand that it
is his intention to bring his road to Golds-
boro if he can secure the right of way,
also extend it further on, down into
Greene county to Jones' mill, if proper
encouragement is received. We are
told that the cost of constructing the
track would be less than \$200 per mile.

Danville News : A serious accident
occurred on the Mill-Sheridan Nar-
row Gauge Railroad Saturday evening.
The train was standing in a cut near
"Cloverdale" the farm of Maj. Wm. T.
Sutherlin, loading with dirt to put on
the road-bed, when the bank gave way
and fell catching under it four convicts
who were working on the road. The
unfortunate men were all badly hurt, and
one, it is thought, sustained serious
injuries. The cars were thrown from the
track also, but no damage of any conse-
quence was done to them.

Russia and England.

The crisis in European affairs seems
almost, if not altogether, at hand. It
was ardently hoped for by all lovers of
peace that a Congress of the powers
would be held, and an amicable solution
of existing difficulties be reached. But
all hope of a peace conference has van-
ished. The Russian government is
more than ever decided to remain firm
in its demands; to yield nothing of the
treaty which it has wrested from fallen
England; and to make no concessions to
England. The latter power is unalter-
ably opposed to the treaty of San Ste-
fano, and declines stubbornly to enter a
peace congress except upon a basis
which will admit for discussion and
amendment the terms of that treaty.
Thus England sets herself squarely
against Russia, and a collision, sooner or
later, between the two powers, appears to
be inevitable.

Within the past few days the English
government has given an utterance of
no uncertain sound; and has taken a step
which could hardly proceed from anything short of the conviction that
she must resort to force to assert her
rights and defend her interests. We
allude to the new Foreign Secretary's
circular to the Powers, which indicates clearly the utter impossibility of a
compromise between England and Russia
on the basis of the San Stefano treaty;

and to the Queen's Message calling out
the Reserves. The circular and the
message were formally enunciated on
the same day; showing England's deter-
mination to sustain her opposition with
all the forces of the British empire.
The language of that message leaves
no doubt upon the mind that the
Queen considers war imminent, if not in-
evitable. She says: "The present state
of public affairs in the East and the
necessity of taking steps for the main-
tenance of peace, and for the protection
of the interests of the empire, having
constituted in the opinion of her ma-
jesty a case of great emergency within
the meaning of the acts of Parliament in
that behalf, her majesty deems it proper
to furnish additional means for the
public service. Therefore, in pur-
suance of those acts, her majesty
thought it right to communicate to the
House of Commons that she is about to
direct that the reserve force, and
militia reserve force, or such part thereof,
as her majesty may think necessary,
be forthwith called out for permanent
service."

The Czar, too, is getting ready
for war. The imperial train which
he used during the last campaign
and which has since the termination
of hostilities been undergoing repairs
in Belgium, has been ordered to St. Peters-
burg; and it is announced that as soon as,
this train returns it is expected that the
Czar will set out for the south and re-
join the army in Turkey. His depur-
ture for the front may be regarded as
the signal for the commencement of
hostilities. The greatest activity prev-
ails in all the departments of the
Russian army; preparations to meet the
emergency are going upon an enormous
scale; the reserve military has been
mobilized; the Grand Duke Nicholas
is rapidly intrenching his positions in
Turkey; and in all Europe the feeling
prevails that an Anglo-Russian war is
unavoidable.

In view of the possibilities of such a
gigantic struggle, it is interesting to en-
quire into the military and naval
strength of the two powers. The official
returns last year of the nominal strength
of the Russian army, places it on a
par with 708,000 men, and on a
war footing at 1,200,000. Besides these
there are their irregular troops, Cossacks
mainly, numbering more than 50,000
men, with over a half million more of
the same people subject to military duty
in case of necessity. The Russian army
on the Balkan Peninsula, comprised, at
the conclusion of peace, about 250,000
infantry, 30,000 cavalry and 1,400 guns; that
in Armenia aggregated an effective
force of 55,000 infantry, 8,000 cavalry
and 350 guns; that in the Caucasus
numbered 25,000 infantry, 10,000 cavalry
and 150 guns. In addition, the
Czar has 150,000 infantry, 12,000
cavalry and 700 field pieces all ready for
the field in the interior of Russia. Al-
together, therefore, it is calculated that
Russia can avail herself immediately of
an effective field force of 500,000 infantry,
60,000 cavalry, and not less than
2,500 guns.

MONDAY THE EMPLOYEES OF THE ATLANTA
ROLLING MILL STRUCK AND THE MILL HAS STOPPED.

THE IRON WORKERS ARE IN FAVOR OF A NEW
BALLOT BOX WITH SOMETHING LIKE THESE
REGISTERS ATTACHED. LET THE BELL RINGING
AND NUMBER EVERY BALLOT DEPOSITED. THIS
WILL PREVENT REPEATING AND FALSE VOTING.
WHAT PATRIOT WILL INTRODUCE THEM INTO
GRANVILLE? WE'LL NEED THEM NEXT AUGUST.

THE CLOVERDALE FARM OF MAJ. W. T. SUTHERLIN,

IN THE CITY OF NEWBERN, NORTH CAROLINA,

IS ON FIRE IN THREE BUILDINGS ON THE PREMISES,
ABOUT 75 CORDS OF WOOD AND A FEW BARRELS OF TAR,

WERE BURNED. THE COLORED MAN WHO ATTENDS TO THE GAS WORKS AT NIGHT STATES THAT HE WAS DRAWING A CHARGE WHEN FIRE CONNECTED WITH THE SOOT THAT HAD COLLECTED ON A WOODEN SHED, WHICH CAUSED THE ACCIDENT.

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ON A PICTURE OF VENUS.

[From the London Atheneum.]
Painted with the name longing,
With the smile and palyer,
Gone is the love, and
She sits in the picture there—

Sighs with dark eyes a-sighing—
Something more subtle still—
Than the soul doth long to live,
Hath measured days to fill.

She has been dead so often,
In her long, funeral wear,
That the time of the wormen rapture,
Sighs of hopes and fears.

No Java nor sorrows have her—
Gone is her ancient pride,
For her head she found too heavy
The sun she has cast aside.

Clad in her seal'd splendor,
With bright locks of hair,
Sad that she is not mortal—
Eternally sad and fair—

Lounging for joys she knows not,
A thirst with a vain desire,
These are her woes—
Dish of foam and fire.

LOUISE CHANDLER MOUTON.

GENERAL NOTES.

Thomas Carlyle's health is very poor.
Pink coral is again coming into fashion.

Women now wear buttons all over them.
All trains are now worn long and narrow.

Butterly bows are coming in vogue again.
Bret Harte confesses that he is a journalistic failure.

The Duke of Westminster's income is \$10 a minute.
The national Capitol is lighted at an expense of \$40 a night.

Prolonged rains in Cuba have seriously damaged the tobacco plant.
The estimated population of the vast continent of Africa is 100,000,000.

In April the Philadelphia Mint will turn out \$1,750,000 in silver.
The total expenses of the Sioux war are stated officially to have been \$2,312,000.

The British army in India is composed of 140,000 artillery, and 400 field pieces.
Thirty-eight of the forty-six officials of Dubuque, Iowa, city and county, are Irishmen.

Watch for Eliam Postor, who has started a wheel barrow from Albany to San Francisco.

"Darling," said he, "lisp my name in accents 'leader'—'Well,'" said she, "doth think them to thine?"

In order to restore the European balance of trade, it is considered advisable that Moscow shall have Bessarabia.

England has among her clergy milieus and paupers. The Rev. Francis Swan, late deceased, left \$1,750,000 personally.

The 30 bishops of the American Episcopal Church who have been invited to attend the Pan-Anglican Synod in London, are all to be housed in the Langham Hotel.

The 366 members of the two Houses of Congress, 239 are lawyers, 20 physicians, 19 are bankers, 17 merchants, 15 editors, 12 farmers and planters, 7 manufacturers, 6 doctors of medicine, and 5 school-teachers.

Among the occupations of women in London clothes-washing stands third on the list. The gross amount of income earned by laundry work is very considerable, for if only sixpence a head were allowed the population weekly for this purpose, the annual expenditure would be \$4,230,508; and as this sum were divided equally among the 44,985 laundry workers, it would yield an annual income of \$94 to each.

Senator Wadebridge, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections, which has received an enormous amount of attention in the last session, says that his committee will consider these petitions and make a report to the Senate upon the subject soon. He is of the opinion that women ought not to be deprived of the right to vote, if it is found that a majority of them think it essential to their welfare. He says that protests against the granting of the ballot to women, from prominent representatives of their sex, are unusual.

N. Y. Tribune: Every paragraph in the land has had its share of cheering. Mrs. Ross, and the public has been utterly and irretrievably bored by the whole matter, and yet there is pathos, real and unaffected, in the closing passages of the father's lecture, when he compares his quest to a search in a deep, dark abyss, by the light of a taper, where he hears now and then a little voice like "I am." But when this voice in the direction of the sound he finds that it is only the voice of his own hopes and the whispering of his usual.

Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker talked on woman suffrage an hour and a half in a hotel parlor at Washington the other evening; then Mrs. Mira Clark Gaines, who had come in and listened awhile insisted on her right to speak. "You think," she said, "the ballot would give you evil, but you will not let them be given through trapping and then knock at the doors of National legislation, and you will not be denied admittance. You will not elevate your own sex by dragging men down, and caling them names, and spitting and trampling on them. It is too foolish. The methods you employ make the very thought of suffrage obnoxious to men, and women too."

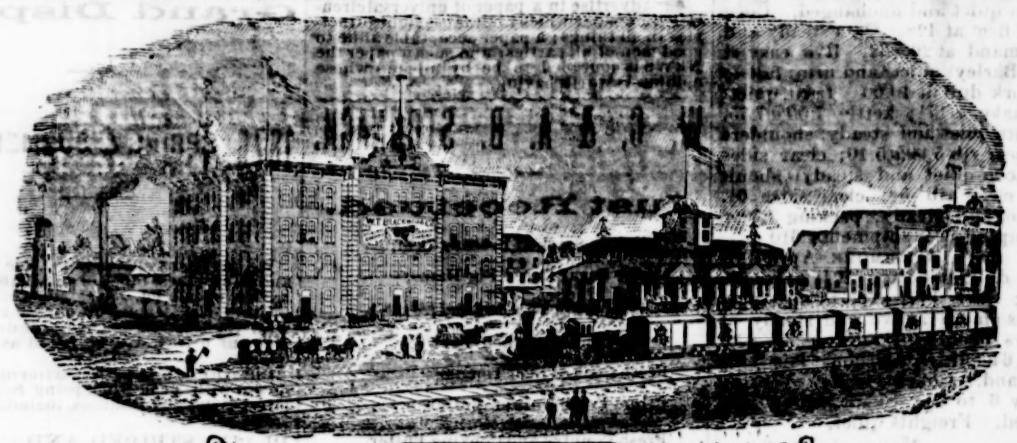
The torpedo has been heretofore supposed to be the most formidable weapon in naval warfare, but in the experiments of the engineer, M. Dufour of Paris, of the new submerged vessel are realized, it will far surpass the stationary torpedo in efficiency. This boat can either float on the surface, or, by means of an arrangement of wings or fins at the bow, be made to descend under water to any required depth. Provision is made for respiration of the occupants, who can breathe it through a tube. Such a craft would be able to approach an iron-clad, fix its torpedoes, and retire unsuspected, without presenting any vulnerable point to the enemy's fire, even if observed. Should this invention be found capable of executing all that is claimed for it, no doubt it would prove a terrible foe to the large armoured ships, which have cost such huge sums of money.

Mother, Mother, Mother.

Don't fail to procure Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures the fits, strengthens the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.

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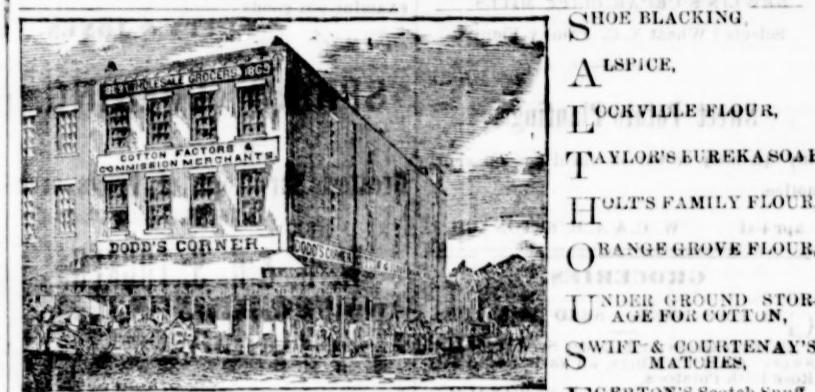
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The Mails.

The mails now close as follows:	10:00 a.m.
Raleigh & Gaston.....	12:00 p.m.
Wilmington.....	1:30 p.m.
Eastern.....	2:30 p.m.
Chatham.....	2:30 p.m.
The mail opens for delivery of the mail as follows:	3:00 p.m.
Chatham.....	3:00 p.m.
Eastern.....	3:30 p.m.
Wilmington.....	4:30 p.m.
Raleigh & Gaston.....	6:00 p.m.
Two Northern mails daily, closing at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.	
Sundays open from 4 to 5 p.m.	
W. W. HOLDEN, P. M.	

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—For the South Atlantic coast, cloudy and rainy weather, locally with strong winds, will be followed by rising barometer, and no north winds with stationary or higher temperature.

Index to New Advertisements.

DR. PIERCE—Special notice.
W. C. & A. B. STRONACH—Groceries,
534—Local notice.
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LOCAL BRIEFS.

—A drummer's license was issued yesterday to James D. Mason & Co., Baltimore.

—W. H. Summer, lately with W. G. Otey in the shaving business, now in partnership with Scott Brown.

—The show-windows of our dry goods stores are being handsomely ornamented by the clerks of the rival establishments. It is quite a treat to a penniless passer to stop and steal—a glance.

Cotton Receipts.

The receipts of cotton in our market yesterday, as reported by the several weighers to Mr. A. A. Thompson, Secretary, of the cotton exchange, amounted to 139 bales.

Double Infanticide.

We are informed that last week, Margaret Stephens, a white woman, living in Hoke county, gave birth to twins. Soon after she disposed of the infants by throwing them in a well. A few hours after the occurrence she went to a ball in the neighborhood.

Personals.

Col. Buck Tucker returned from his business trip northward yesterday afternoon.

Mr. G. Rosenthal also returned to the city from New York.

Col. I. J. Young is in attendance on the Federal Court in session in Greenboro.

New Counterfeiter.

A new and dangerous counterfeit is noted just as reported in circulation. It is the "Pocasen National Bank," Fall River, Massachusetts, of the "C." and dated January 2d, 1865. They are in circulation. The secret service detectives, at work on the case, have already captured two of the gang of counterfeitors.

Fertilizer Licenses.

The State Treasurer has issued a license for the sale of fertilizers in this State to the Patapeco Glass Co., of Baltimore, Maryland. The name of the brand is the "Grange Mixture."

Messrs. P. S. Chappell & Co., of Baltimore, have notified the Commissioner of Agriculture that they will renew their license for the "Grange Mixture" Super-Phosphate.

We learn that the Commissioner has made a seizure of some guano sold illegally in the State.

A Thief Caught.

Officer Goodwin was notified on Tuesday night that a door mat, a wire clothesline, and two basketsful of clothes, a number of chickens, had been stolen on Friday night from the residence of D. J. Eason, on Moore Avenue, near St. Mary's. Despite his efforts to find the thief, he was unable to do so.

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Marriage at the First Presbyterian Church.

Yesterday morning at 9:30, Mr. J. H. Cooper was united in matrimony to Miss Miriam Pickard. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. R. Vaughan, D. D. There were no attendants. The church was filled with a large crowd.

The happy couple immediately left for the Raleigh & Gaston train for the North. Mr. Cooper is a native of Canada, but has been a resident here for some time and is the son of McCallum and Cooper. His lovely bride is well known to our people, and is a lady of marked accomplishments. We wish her an unlimited amount of prosperity and enjoyment, and are sure that now and hereafter the largest measure of both will be granted them.

Mrs. Wm. Woolcott.

One of our most enterprising merchants is the above named gentleman, who has just returned to the North, where for the last two weeks he has been engaged in purchasing the largest and best selected stock he has ever offered to the public. He has a full line of gentlemans furnishings, goods, as well as boots and shoes. His prices for a suit of clothes range from \$1.75 to \$50. His line of fancy goods is as complete as can be, and at prices which the reach of all; for instance he will sell a window shade for 10 cents. There has been opened under his management a first class Machinery Establishment, on the corner of Washington and Hargett Streets, at the place named a few months ago as a saloon. There ladies will find the latest styles of bonnets, hats, trimmings, &c. Remember Mrs. Woolcott, the wholesale and retail dry goods merchant, whose anything is wanted in his line, see his advertisement.

The University Normal School.

We learn that President Battle has already been assured of a large attendance at the next University Normal School—larger than last year. Gov. Vance, of the Chapel Hill, had a consultation with the Board of Trustees, the arrangements to be made. They will be definitely settled in a short while and the programme will be duly published and distributed to every nook and corner in the State. Prof. Ladd, who is General Superintendent, Graded classes will be formed. The diversity system will be adopted, so that desiring to pursue special studies can do so. For example, classes will be formed in chemistry, algebra, book keeping, latin, &c., as well as arithmetic, geography, &c., &c. Distinguished men will be present, and the session will begin probably a fortnight earlier than last year.

Another Store Robbed.

Tuesday night the store of Messrs. W. C. & A. B. Stronach, on Market Place, was entered, and sundry articles and a small amount of money taken therefrom. The thief effected an entrance by boring through the north door, which is fastened by a spring bolt, the top only, (the lower bolt was broken) and through the angle hook that hangs down from the bolt. As soon as the chain was pulled the door opened and he walked right in. Evidently a man of taste, he took a can of English Plum-Pudding and a few jars of pickles, he turned his attention to the cash drawer, from which he took \$2.56. Nothing other than the ring was missed from the store. The rogue evidently was a good customer, for the small hole bored in the door was exactly where the chain rested against the door as it swung down.

By the police, with their usual good fortune this season, catch the thief and add him to the list of jail birds now in the State, that our next Legislature cannot disregard it.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NATIONAL HOTEL.

C. J. Bryan, N. C. O. B. Vanwyck, N. C. R. W. Edwards, Wm. H. W. K. Davis, Louisville; J. C. Thompson, Pacific, N. C.; Henry Lawrence, Sandgate Springs; T. H. Parmalee, H. A. Adams, Philadelphia; F. C. Stokes, Philadelphia; W. H. Vassall, Virginia; Jas. T. Adams, Osgood, N. C.

MARRIAGES.

At the residence of Henry London, Thursday, March 14th, 1878, by A. L. Rucker, J. P., W. P. Elliott to Miss Sallie Grant, all of Rutherford.

At Irving's Church, Tuesday March 19th, 1878, by A. L. Rucker, J. P., Mr. R. P. Peeler to Lucinda Peeler, all of Rutherford.

At the residence of C. D. Hyder, E. Q., March 28th, 1878, Mr. Jos. C. Hyder, of Rutherford, to Miss Hester Lindsey, of Cleveland.

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Fish.

Fresh and salt Fish of all kinds furnished at lowest cash prices. For information, address P. O. Box 534, Newbern, N. C.

Loss.

On the 1st of April, a contract between Rachel Overby and W. R. Pepper. The latter will please return to the news office.

Mazeppa.

O. W. Blackwell, Kittrell, N. C., will glad to send to all who desire samples of his celebrated brand of chewing tobacco, "Mazeppa." One trial will convince you of its superiority. None sold until three years old. W. C. & A. B. Stronach, agents for Raleigh.

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RALEIGH, N. C. April 3, 1878.

Middling, Street Low Middling,
Good Ordinary, Good Extra,
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Tone of Market—Dull.

Wheat in good demand; red 1 18¢/bbl.—

Flour quiet and unchanged, Co.

Barley quiet and steady; shoul-

ders 4¢/bbl.; clear rib 5¢/bbl.—

Wheat quiet and steady; pack-

ing 3 60¢/bbl.—

Baltimore, April 2.

Cotton dull; middling 10¢; gross re-

ceipts 10¢; sales 100; exports coast-

wise 40¢.